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ASSIGNMENT FOR RECORDATION, AND
SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE DRAWINGS**

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Responsive to the attached U.S. Patent and Trademark Office "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application" mailed July 22, 2002, Applicants are hereby submitting the executed Declaration in the above referenced matter along with a check in the amount of \$130.00 for the late filing of the Declaration.

SUBMISSION OF ASSIGNMENT FOR RECORDATION

Further enclosed is the executed Assignment and Assignment Transmittal along with our check in the amount of \$40.00 for the Assignment Recordation fee.

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SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE DRAWINGS

Applicants submit herewith sixty-four (64) sheets of formal drawings (Figures 1-90) for filing in the above-referenced patent application.

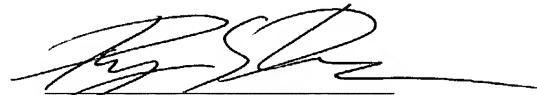
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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

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 - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.
 - Numbers, letters, and reference characters must measure at least 0.32 cm (1/8 inch) in height.
 - drawings contain excessive text. Suitable descriptive legends may be used, or may be required by the Examiner where necessary for understanding of the drawing but should contain as few words as possible (see 37 CFR 1.84(o));

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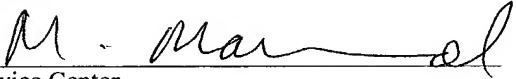
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SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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